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Appln. No.: 09/865,666

Group Art Unit: 1772

Confirmation No.: 4161

Examiner: W Watkins III

Filed: May 29, 2001

For: A THERMOFORMED PANEL AND METHOD FOR ITS PRODUCTION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 17, 2003 to January 17, 2004.

A check for the statutory small entity fee of \$475.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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